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SUBJECT: REQUEST LEAHY VETTING FOR ILEA BANGKOK: SPECIAL INVESTIGATION GROUP (SIG) ON PANGOLIN AND BIG CATS WORKSHOP, ILEA BANGKOK, JANUARY 7-9

REF: SPELMAN-HOWARD EMAILS

¶1. (SBU) Post requests the Department's assistance in vetting the following candidate from the State Forestry Administration, Department of Forest Police, who has been nominated for training at ILEA Bangkok, pursuant to the Leahy Amendment and Foreign Assistance Act. Post has no derogatory information on this individual.

¶2. (SBU) Biographical data of proposed participant for the ILEA Bangkok course entitled Special Investigation Group (SIG) on Pangolin and Big Cats Workshop January 7-9, 2009:

Name: GENG Yongping  
Gender: Male  
DOB: 08 February 1979  
POB: Yunnan Province, China  
Rank: Police Superintendent, Class II  
Unit: State Forestry Administration, Department of Forest Policy  
Title: Section Chief, Criminal Investigation Division.  
Passport No: 676 8318 Expiration date 20 OCT 2011

¶3. (SBU) Post apologizes for the short notice but seeks Department approval for Mr. Geng's participation in the course outlined above no later than 6 JAN 2009.

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